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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : YANG Group Art Unit: 1773  
Serial No.: 09/480,193 Examiner: N. J. Uhler  
Filed : 01/10/00  
For : "Polymeric Articles Having a Textured  
Surface and Frosted Appearance"

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RESPONSE and AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed 08/07/02 setting a three-month period to respond. Since a request for an one-month extension is being filed herewith, along with the proper fee, a response is due by 12/07/02.

Please amend Claims 1, 12, 16 and 17 as follows: